Imperative Verbs

Lesson Plan & Explanation

What are Imperative Verbs?

- • Imperative verbs are 'bossy verbs.'
- • They tell someone what to do.
- • They give commands, instructions, advice, or requests.
- • The subject 'you' is understood but not written.

Examples of Imperative Verbs

- • Sit down.
- • Open the door.
- • Wash your hands.
- • Please be quiet.
- • Do not touch that.

Positive and Negative Imperatives

- Positive (telling to do):
- • Read the book.
- • Write your name.

- Negative (telling NOT to do):
- • Don't run.
- • Do not shout.

Practice Activity

- • Underline the imperative verb:
- 1. Close the window.
- 2. Please wait here.
- 3. Do not touch the glass.

- • Write two of your own imperative sentences.